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Fromageries Bel and Bel Brands USA, Inc.,

Opposers,

v.

Norseland Incorporated,

Applicant

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REPORT ON STATUS OF CIVIL ACTION

Opposers Fromageries Bel and Bel Brands USA, Inc., together with Applicant Norseland Incorporated, jointly provide this response to the Board's June 10, 2015 Order requesting the parties to inform the Board of the status of the civil action which occasioned the suspension of this proceeding.

The parties confirm that Civil Action No. 14-CV-3488, Norseland, Inc. v. Fromageries Bel S.A. and Bel Brands USA, Inc. (the "Civil Action"), remains pending and is being actively litigated by the parties in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York.

The parties confirm that the Civil Action concerns many of the same issues before the Board in this Opposition and, thus, the parties request that the present proceedings remain suspended pending final disposition of the Civil Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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